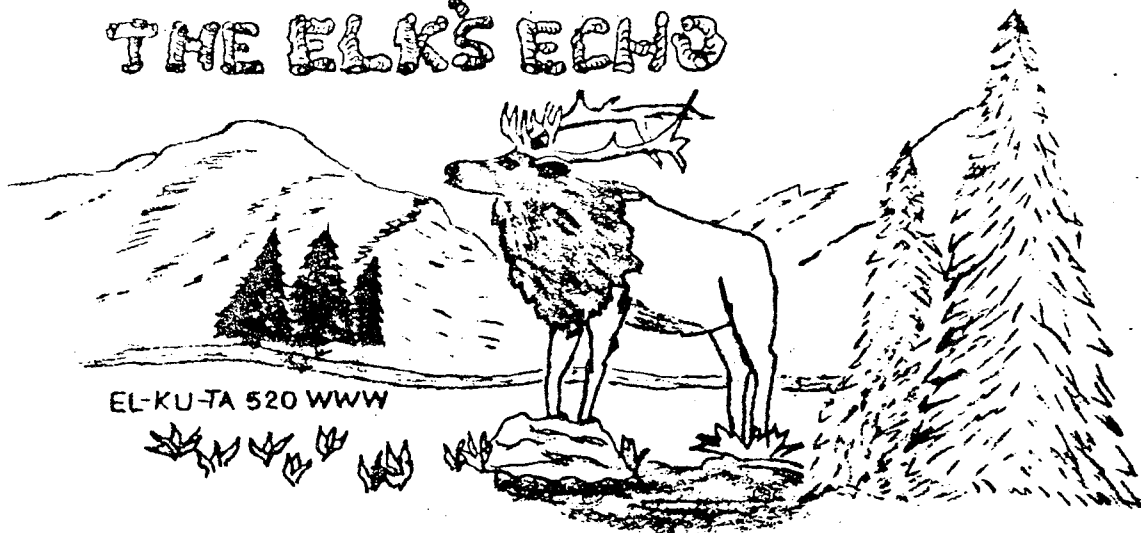


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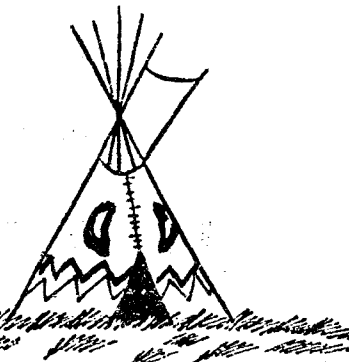
EL-KU-TA 520 WWW

MAY 1985

HEY, COYOTE! HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT
THE BIG O.A.FELLOWSHIP ?

NO! WHAT IS IT- A NEW
STYLE TEEPEE?

NO! IT IS WHERE THE
EL-KU-TA TRIBE GET
TOGETHER TO HAVE HEEP
BIG CONTEST AND PLAY GAMES AND SHOOT
BOW AND ARROW, HAVE UM HEAP BIG POW WOW. YOU GOIN ?

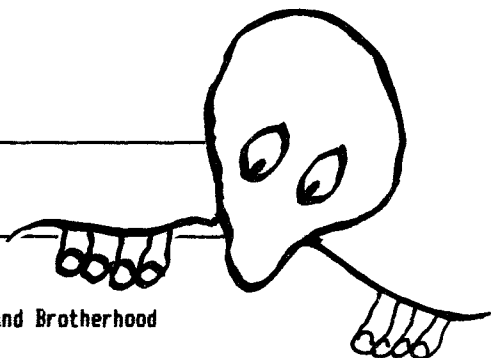


HIYA! YA! HO! SOUNDS LIKE MORE FUN THAN BUFFALO HUNT !

WELL, THEN-LET'S PACK UP TRIBE AND GO !!!!!



COMING EVENTS



- May 11 Last day to register for Ordeal and Brotherhood held on May 17-18
- May 16 Lodge Executive Committee Meeting, 7:00 P.M., MURRAY HIGH SCHOOL (All Chapter Officers and Advisors should be in attendance.)
- May 17 Brotherhood, Tracy, 8:30 p.m., Cost \$6.00.
- May 17-18 Ordeal, Tracy, 7:00 P.M., Cost \$19.00
- May 25 Last day to register for Ordeal held on May 31- June 1
- May 30 Lodge Indian Dance Instruction at 7:30 P.M., Granger High School (3690 So. 3600 W.)
- May 31- June 1 Ordeal, Tracy. 7:00 P.M., Cost \$19.00
- June 4 Last day to register for Ordeal on June 12-14 and Brotherhood held on June 15
- June 7 Last day to register for the Summer Fellowship
- June 12-14 Ordeal, East Fork of the Bear, 7:00 P.M., Cost \$19.00
- June 15 Brotherhood, East Fork of the Bear, 8:00 P.M., Cost \$6.00
- June 13-15 Summer Fellowship East Fork of the Bear, Information on page inside
- June 28 to June 11 Philmont Trip [HAS BEEN CANCELLED !!!]

Smoke Signals From the Chief



WHAT IS THE PATROL METHOD?

The Patrol Method is an organization set up by Lord Baden Powell to efficiently organize a group of people. In this type of organization, we have a lead-leader, with sub-leaders. It sort of works like a tree, breaking up from the trunk. We use this same organization with the O.A. We have the Lodge, representing the trunk, and the primary branches; and the Chapters, representing the secondary and smaller branches. The trunk only provides support and a unity so the leaves can work on the common task of making shade.

Without both, the primary and the secondary parts of the tree, we wouldn't have shade. So it is essential that both parts work together. We must take the responsibility upon ourselves to 'keep the tree together'. Most of us in leadership positions have been elected to serve our fellow Brothers, and if we fail, it's like chopping a limb from off the tree. It's even more damaging if it's a primary branch that is cut.

This effect on the tree can weaken it--even kill it. It's the same with the Patrol Method and with our Lodge.

I hope everyone in a leadership position realizes the obligation he has to the organization that elected him. It's important to develop responsibility at our age because some, if not all of us, will be the leaders of tomorrow.

Yours in Brotherhood,

Daren Sagers

DAREN SAGERS

Lodge Chief





SECTION CONCLAVE

The Section conclave was held on March 29th and 30th at the College of Southern Idaho in Twin Falls, Idaho. Ma-l-Shu Lodge of the Snake River Council was the host. There were 9 Lodges in attendance. This has been the biggest gathering ever.

The El-Ku-Ta Lodge members departed the Scout Service Center, Friday afternoon in a commercial bus. Hi-ho, hi-ho, and down the road we go.

Between 6:00 and 8:00 Friday evening, about 400 Arrowmen registered for the conference. Dance and ceremony competition were held beginning at 10:00 p.m.

Breakfast Saturday consisted of a potatoe pattie, scrambled eggs, juice, hot chocolate, 2 slices of toast , and jelly.

Afterwards, Section nominations were held, and then classes began. They consisted of : chapter Officer Training, Activation Techniques, Brotherhood Attainment, Ceremony =Training, Dance Training, and an Adult Session.

Section elections were held and our Lodge Treasurer, LARRY JOHNSON was elected as Section Chief. CONGRATULATIONS, Larry !!

The Awards Banquet began with a tossed green salad, scolloped potatoes, corn, and sliced roast beef, with a roll and butter. Dessert constisted of a mouthwatering piece of cake. Dr. Bryce Fairbanks was the guest speaker at this event.

We would like to thank all of those El-Ku-Ta Lodge members who helped clean up the dishes and silverware from the banquet tables. (The broken dishes will be charged to Terry Rosenlund's Chapter).

Many thanks to our Conference Chairman, DAVID KOLDENYN.

The following Arrowmen were in attendance at the Conclave:



ROBERT PATEY
BRYAN PAGET

JASON MILLER
BRAD MILLER

DAVE HALLIDAY
DAVID HAAG

ERNEST PRESTON
RYAN SMITH



TODD TURNBLOM
STEVEN BROWN
MATTHEW MECHAM
B.J. FAIRBANKS
TERRY ROSENLUND
SCOTT JOHNSON
CHAD UTLEY
DAN OBERG
DALE EDMAN
WESLEY RICHES
GARY RAY
JON SIMPSON
KEM MASON

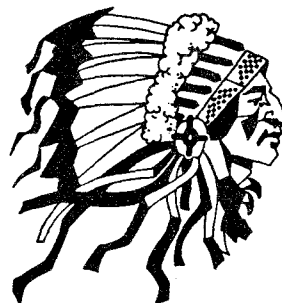
DAREN SAGERS
DENNIS HAAG
ANTHONY WHITE
ISAMU FAIRBANKS
RICHARD SISAM
ANDREW MECHAM
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MARLIN ELDRED
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MARK LOWRY

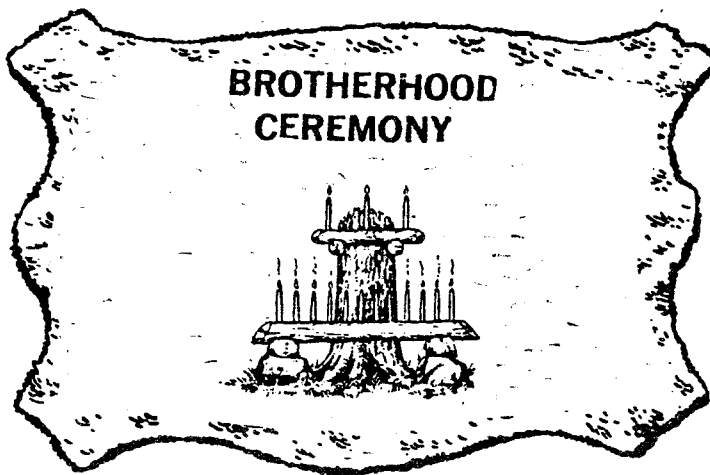
DAVID YEI
BOB WATTS
ACEL THACKER
ED STEBBING
LEIF ARNESEN
BARTON JEFFS
AARON JOHANSON
ROBERT LEHMAN
MIKE CARSEY
JOE OBERG
CLIFF SADLER
DANNY SMITH
SCOTT JOHNSON

LARRY JOHNSON
KIP HAMMOND
TRENT GROSE
DR. BRYCE FAIRBANKS
DARYL MURRIN
STEVE SUGDEN
CURTIS PETERS
DAVID KOLDENWYN
LYAL CHRISTENSEN
ROGER NICKELSON
DAVID ROBINSON
KAY McHILLAN



<p>LODGE PROGRESS SO FAR THIS YEAR</p>			
MAY 31, 1985	1985	1984	
TOTAL MEMBERS REGISTERED	887	790	
TOTAL NEW ORDEAL MBRS.	62	484	
TOTAL NEW CANDIDATES MBRS.	668	879	
TOTAL NEW BROTHERHOOD MBRS.	34	75	
TOTAL SERVICE HOURS	5,941	13,719	
TOTAL NUMBER OF UNITS SEEN	345	464	
PERCENT OF UNITS CONTACTED	16.91%	21.93%	





We would like to congratulate all those who participated in the Brotherhood Ceremony at Tracy Wigwam on March 22nd.

At the ceremony bowl there was one foot of snow. Mike Gregerson indicated, however, that this is just the first of a great year of Brotherhood.

We would like to thank Dakota Chapter for a great Ceremony Team participation.

CEREMONY: Clinton Lingwall, Chief
Dave Miller, Advisor



The following arrowmen sealed their membership in the Order of the Arrow:



RICHARD PETTIT III	Machque	LIEF ARENSEN	Dakota
RICHARD PETTIT JR.	Machque	MICHAEL D. BASS	Wasatch Peaks
MARK SHEERING	Tsaligi	MICHAEL G. BASS	Wasatch Peaks
BRIAN WALKER	Sage	DAVID SMITH	Wasatch Peaks
DAVID ISOM	Wamblee	COLIN LILLIE	Wasatch Peaks
MICHAEL THALLER	Tsaligi	CAMERON FORD	Machque
BRYAN PETTIT	Machque	EMORY SMITH	Machque
JASON WUNDERLICH	Tsaligi	DAVID MAYNARD	WASATCH PEAKS
CURT STOWELL	Tsaligi		

An illustration of a classic round alarm clock with two bells on top. The clock face has numbers from 1 to 12. The hour hand points exactly to the 9, and the minute hand points exactly to the 12.

Reregister

EL-KU-TA LODGE WWW
REGISTRATION PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION

PLEASE PRINT INFORMATION

LOST

FIRST

INITIALS

[illegible]

CITY : : : : : STATE : : : : : ZIP : : : : :

PHONE : : : : : BIRTHDATE : : : : : RANK

UNIT NUMBER : : : : : CHAPTER OR TROOP OFFICE

CHAPTER

LABEL ROSTER

MEMBERSHIP CARD

PERM. RECORD

DATE EXPIRES

JUNE 1990

ORDER OF ARROW HISTORY

STATUS

WHERE

DATE _____

ORDEAL

BROTHERHOOD

VIGIL

VIGIL NAME

MEANING

SEND FORM TO:

LODGE SECRETARY 525 FOOTHILL BLVD.
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH 84113

SCOUTING HISTORY

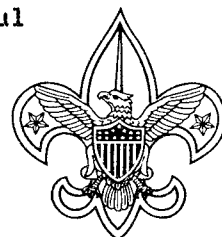
LIST AWARDS, OFFICES HELD, EVENTS SUCH AS JAMBOREES AND OTHER SCOUTING HONORS OR O.A. COMMITTEES ECT.



SCOUT-O-RAMA

The 1985 Scout-O-Rama was the most successful ever held.

If you missed it, you missed a lot, There were more than 500 displays just chuck full of good ideas that were waiting to be put into action.



We would like to thank all of our Chapters who helped with ushering, putting up booths and curtains, entering and running booths and helping to make this the most successful experience for all.



YOU NEED

In order to comply with requirements for medical care, If needed, it has become necessary for all Staff, Ordeal and Brotherhood members to fill out and return a medical information sheet (NOT A PHYSICAL EXAM SHEET) for all Order of the Arrow functions.

These may be obtained at LECM or from Lodge Officers. Without it, Participation is not possible.

CANDIDATES FOR LODGE OFFICE 1985-86

EL-KU-TA LODGE W.W.W. 520

ELECTION TO BE HELD AT THE SUMMER FELLOWSHIP

EAST FORK OF THE BEAR

JUNE 13, 14, & 15, 1985

CANDIDATES FOR LODGE CHIEF

STEVE BROWN Sage Chapter, Age 17. Steve is an Eagle Scout and a Vigil Member in the O.A. He has served as the Chapter Chief for Sage and the Service Vice Chief for the past year. He has attended Section Conferences and participated in Ordeal and Brotherhood Ceremonies.

VIRGIL CHRISTENSEN Woapalanne Chapter, Age 17. Virgil is an Eagle Scout and a Vigil Candidate in the O.A. He has served as a founder of the Lodge Dance Team, Lodge Vice Chief North and Council Explorer President. He has attended Section Conferences and dance and ceremonial activities.

SCOTT HOGGE Wamblee Chapter, Age 16. Scott is the present Chapter Chief of Wamblee and an Eagle Scout. He has attended Section Activities and participated in dance and ceremonies presentations. His chapter earned the Chapter of the Year for 1984. Scott is a Brotherhood Member.

ELI PRESTON Dakota Chapter, Age 18. Eli has served as a Lodge Vice Chief and attended Section and National Events and Conferences. He is presently involved with the Dance Team and is the Fellowship Chairman for 1985. Eli is an Eagle Scout and has served as a Chapter Chief.

CANDIDATES FOR NORTH AREA VICE CHIEF

MIKE GREGERSON Indian Springs Chapter, Age 17. Mike is an Eagle Scout and has served on Council Camp Staffs. He was a founder of the Lodge Dance Team and is presently serving as the Lodge Brotherhood Chairman. Mike has participated in Chapter, Dance and Ceremony activities. Mike is a Brotherhood Member.

ANDY SORENSON Dabyowk Chapter, Age 16. Andy is an Eagle Scout with a wide variety of experiences. He is presently a Vice Chief in Dabyowk Chapter, the largest in the Lodge. He has participated in many Chapter and Lodge functions as well as organizing and directing them. Andy is a Brotherhood member.

TODD TURNBLOM Indian Springs Chapter, Age 17. Todd is an Eagle Scout and was a founder of the Lodge Dance Team. He served as the Chairman of the Camping Book compiling most of it himself and has been active with regard to Dance and Ceremony service. He is presently the Lodge Ceremony Chairman and a Vigil member.

CANDIDATES FOR SOUTH AREA VICE CHIEF

MATT MECHAM Silver Elk Chapter, Age 16. Matt is presently the Chapter Chief of his Chapter and has participated in a number of ceremonies and dance events. He has attended a Section Conference. Matt as an Eagle Scout directs the activities of one of the larger lodge chapters. Matt is a Brotherhood member.

DAVID YEI Sage Chapter, Age 16. As an Eagle Scout Dave is the current Chapter Chief of Sage Chapter. He has participated in a wide range of Chapter and Lodge activities including Section Conferences and ceremonies. He is a Brotherhood member and addition to Chapter Chief he has previously held other Chapter offices.

CANDIDATES FOR SERVICE VICE CHIEF

KEN NAYLOR Wamblee Chapter, Age 15. Ken is an Eagle Scout and is presently serving as the Ceremonies Chief of Wamblee Chapter. He leads his Varsity Team and has participated in Silver Moccassin. He is a Brotherhood Member.

ALLEN RECORD Silver Elk Chapter, Age 16. Allen is currently the Chairman of the Lodge Dance Team and a Vice Chief in his Chapter. He is an Eagle Scout and Vigil Candidate. He has participated in many Dance and Ceremony presentations.

ED STEBBING Wagon Wheel Chapter, Age 16. Ed is currently the Lodge Elections Chairman and a Chapter Chief. He is a Vigil Candidate and an Eagle Scout. He has also participated in a number of Chapter, Lodge and Sectional activities.

CANDIDATES FOR ACTIVITIES VICE CHIEF

ROBERT PATEY Old English Fort Chapter, Age 15. Robert is an Eagle Scout and presently the Lodge Secretary. He has held Chapter office and attended Section and National Events. He has served on Camp Staff and attended Philmont Scout Ranch in 1984 as well a participated in Dance and Ceremonies. Rob is a Brotherhood Member.

CANDIDATES FOR LODGE SECRETARY

CURT STOWELL Iriquois Chapter, Age 15. Curt is the present Chapter Chief of Iriquois Chapter and an Eagle Scout. He has attended Silver Moccassin and been on staff. He has been active in Lodge and Chapter events and is a Brotherhood Member.

STEVE SUGDEN Red Hills Chapter, Age 14. A Brotherhood member Steve is also an Eagle Scout. He has attended Silver Moccasin and will be on staff in 1985. He is presently the Chapter Secretary of the Red Hills Chapter.

CANDIDATES FOR LODGE TREASURER

GARY RAY Silver Elk Chapter, Age 16. A Brotherhood Member and an Eagle Scout, Gary presently serves as the Vice Chief of the silver Elk Chapter. He has been active in the Lodge and Chapter in dance and ceremonies and in Silver Moccasin where he serves on the Staff.

BRIAN WALKER Sage Chapter, Age 15. Brian is currently a Vice Chief of the Sage Chapter and an Eagle Scout. He has been active in Dance and Ceremonies activities within his Chapter and the Lodge.

LODGE MEMBERS WILL ONLY VOTE FOR THE AREA VICE CHIEF THAT IS OVER THEIR AREA.

It is important to get to know the Candidates before the Election at the Fellowship so that the best might be elected for the job.



CHAPTER CHATTER

IRIQUOIS CHAPTER wishes to thank all who helped out at the Spring Camporee. It was fun and successful.

At their May Meeting, there will be elections for Chapter Officers held.

The Summer Fellowship will be a great event also. Let's get ready to support the Lodge in that activity.

There are two new Assistant Advisors. They are :

JIM WOODS -Elections

BUTCH STEELE-Ceremonies

We would like to welcome them into our circle of Brotherhood.



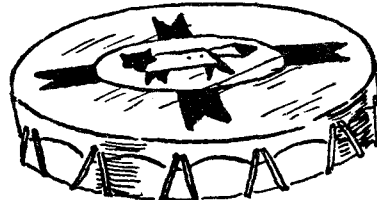
CURT STOWELL, CHIEF
278-9423

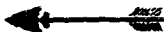
WAMBLEE CHAPTER would like to invite all members to come to their chapter meetings held on the 2nd Thursday of each month at 7:30 at West Jordan Middle School.

They are doing the Ordeal Ceremony on the 26th and 27th of April, and would like to invite all Chapter members to come and participate.

They are also attending the Summer Fellowship and would like to invite all members-new and old- to join in the fun. EVERYBODY IS WELCOME !

SCOTT HOGGE, CHIEF
255-2371





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SAGE CHAPTER is planning a parents night for May 9th, for their Chapter Meeting. It will be at the 5th and 6th Ward Building. Invitations are in the mail.

Ceremony Teams are urged to memorize their parts.

A great big THANK YOU is expressed to all of those who went to the Scout-O-Rama and those who supported the Lodge during the Section Conference.

If you have not reregistered yet, we need your support in doing so!!

DAVID YEI, CHIEF
882-5309

EL-KU-TA

WOPALANNE CHAPTER is now holding it's meetings at the Rose Park Stake, 760 No. 1200 West. We meet the 2nd Thursday of every month.

Many thanks to Jeff Clark for the service he rendered as Chapter Cheif.

GLEN BOGUE, CHIEF
362-7257

WAGON WHEEL CHAPTER would like to invite all Chapter members to attend the Summer Fellowship on June 13-15 at East Fork of the Bear.



ED STEBBING, CHIEF
967-9446

TSTAH DIBE CHAPTER would like to invite it's members to attend Chapter Meetings. They are held on the 1st Thursday of every month at 7:00 p.m. at the Yale 1st Ward.

We would like to say THANK YOU to Milan Anderson for his dedication to our chapter as Chapter Cheif.

DIEVO HAGEN, CHIEF
255-4145





SILVER ELK CHAPTER Officers would like to encourage all members of the Silver Elk Chapter to attend the Elangomat Training on May 25th. This training will be a quality experience for all who attend.

On May 17th and 18th is our District Spring Camporee. All members of our Chapter who would like to attend, please contact Matthew Mecham or Bryan Paget (255-1765 or 566-1306).

The Lodge Summer Fellowship is from June 13th to June 15th. At this fellowship, there will be activities, a Brotherhood Ceremony, and as members of this Lodge, we will be deciding on next year's Lodge Officers. If you would like to attend with the Chapter, please contact Matthew Mecham. We are planning to leave Thursday afternoon.

We would like to see you all at our next Chapter meeting in May. For August, we are planning to have a Chapter Banquet. It will cost \$2.50 a plate. Parents and family members are invited.

MATTHEW MECHAM, CHIEF
561-2679



MACHQUE CHAPTER would like to thank Rich Pettit for the many long hours of service he gave as Chapter Chief.

EVAN GLASSETT, CHIEF
942-2136

GRANITE TRAILS CHAPTER is now holding it's meetings at the Murray 18th Ward Building on the 2nd Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

At Chapter elections, a new chief was elected. We would like to thank Chad Utley for his service to the Chapter and Lodge.

RICHARD BOYDEN, CHIEF
268-3416





EL-KU-TA SUMMER FELLOWSHIP AT EAST FORK OF THE BEAR

THERE WILL BE.

WORKSHOPS

Indian Dancing
Ceremonies
Chapter Helps
Advisors

Indian Costuming
Camp promotion
Service projects

ACTIVITIES

Archery
Pioneering
Waterfront

Indian Games
Rifle Range

COMPETITION

Chapter Challenges
Pre-Ordeal (team)

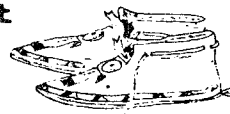
Indian Dress
Tap out

DANCE

COMPETITION

Fancy
Team (chapter)

Hoop
Traditional



OTHER EVENTS

Brotherhood Ceremony
Chapter - Lodge Tug-of-War
Election of Lodge Officers
Great Campfires

COST



\$19.00 For Full Program
\$ 5.00 For patch and cracker barrels
(no meals)
\$ 6.00 For Brotherhood
\$15.00 For June Ordeals who are
staying over
for the fellowship.
\$ Can register on a meal
by meal basis.

DONT FORGET

Registration ends on June 7, 1985

DON'T BE LEFT OUT !

INFORMATION

Eli Preston 968-9711 Event Chairman

JUNE 13, 14 AND 15

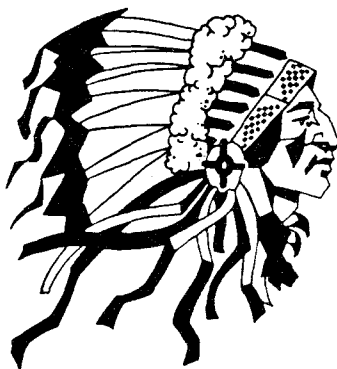
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FULL FEE INCLUDES MEALS, & VIGIL BREAKFAST FOR VIGILS.

FULL CONFERENCE FEE	\$19.00	_____	THURSDAY LUNCH	\$2.00	_____
RE-REGISTRATION FEE	\$ 3.00	_____	DINNER	\$5.00	_____
BROTHERHOOD	\$ 6.00	_____	FRIDAY BREAKFAST	\$3.00	_____
EAST FORK ORDEAL MEMB.	\$15.00	_____	LUNCH	\$2.00	_____
PATCH & C. BARREL ONLY	\$ 5.00	_____	DINNER	\$5.00	_____
			SATURDAY BREAKFAST	\$3.00	_____
			VIGIL BREAKFAST	\$3.50	_____
			LUNCH	\$2.00	_____
SUB TOTAL		_____			

SUB TOTAL

FINAL TOTAL



BROTHERHOOD

BROTHERHOOD MEMBERSHIP

Your completion of the Ordeal set you on the next part of your "long, and toilsome journey". Now, during your service as an Ordeal member, you have had ample opportunity to increase your knowledge of the Arrow and make it work for you. You have had at least 10 months of active preparation.

The time has come for you to follow your Brothers who have gone before you, and seal your membership in the Order of the Arrow. You must complete these four steps:

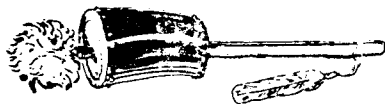
1. Memorize the Obligation, the Order of the Arrow official song, and adminition.
2. Registered active membership in the Order of the Arrow.
3. Registered active membership in Scouting.
4. Ten months service as an Ordeal Member.



If you have completed your Ordeal in the year 1984, now is the time to begin thinking about sealing your membership in the Order of the Arrow by joining in the upcoming Brotherhood Ceremonies.

It is most urgent that you NOW write your letter to the Lodge secretary informing him of your desire to become a Brotherhood member.



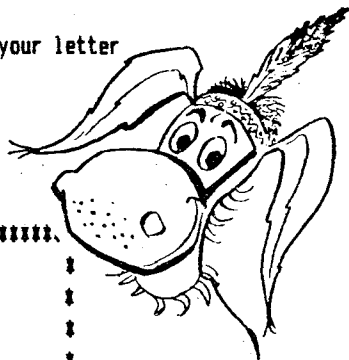


It is important that you not only qualify for the above requirements, but that you feel you are prepared for the Brotherhood. Your letter must contain (1) an explanation of what you think the Obligation means, and (2) describe how you have been fulfilling this Obligation in your troop or post and in your daily life, and how you have used your understanding of the traditions of the Ordeal to aid in your service. (3) Describe the specific plans you have for rendering service to the Lodge in fulfillment of the new pledge you expect to take.

With this letter, you should include your advanced registration (\$6.00) and date of the Brotherhood Ceremony in which you will be participating.

If you have any questions, call Robert Patey at 266-8750, or send your letter to:

Robert Patey
1613 West 4300 So.
West Valley City, UT. 84107



ONE YEAR AGO THIS MONTH		
MAY 31, 1985	THIS MONTH	LAST YEAR
TOTAL MEMBERSHIP	821	741
TOTAL ORDEAL MBRS.	626	595
TOTAL BROTHERHOOD	139	95
TOTAL VIGIL MBRS	56	51
TOTAL CANDIDATES	497	148
# UNITS SEEN	304	149
# SERVICE HOURS	4,172	2,013

WE ARE AHEAD OF LAST YEAR ! HOW FAR CAN WE BEAT IT ?



**ORDER OF THE ARROW
GREAT SALT LAKE COUNCIL
Boy Scouts of America
525 Foothill Drive
Salt Lake City, Utah 84113**

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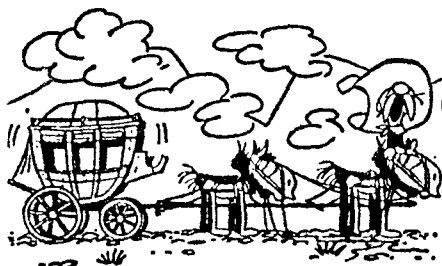
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